Order No. Fl. 316—*G. F.* 6-21-35, *dated* 22*nd July* 1921.

Persons who have insured their lives in the Official and Public Branches of the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme and whose endowment policies mature before the 1st of January 1925 will, if they choose, be permitted to take the whole or part of the amounts of their policies on their maturity in the form of Bonds of eitheir the 7% or the 6½% Loan announced in Notification No. Fl. 98—G. F. 6-21-4, dated 9th July 1921, the calculation of the face value of Bonds to be delivered will, in the case of the 6½% Loan, be made with reference to the issue price of the Loan and for every Rs. 97½ of the policy amount payable in cash, a Bond of the face value of Rs. 100 will be given. The option allowed by this order should be availed of before the 1st January 1922.

By Order,
M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Financial Secretary to Government.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MYSORE RAILWAYS.

Notification No. 34, *dated* 16—19*th July* 1921.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. Thippaiya, Assistant Engineer, is granted privilege leave of absence for one month from 8th July 1921.

D. G. DANI,
Agent.

MYSORE STATE TROOPS.

LOAN OF CAVALRY HORSES TO CIVILIAN OFFICERS.

Serviceable Troop horses of the Mysore Cavalry Regiments will be lent to Civilian officers on the following terms:—

(1) The loans will be restricted to Gazetted officers of and above the rank of Assistant Commissioners in service of the Mysore Government.

(2) Applications for loans should be forwarded through the Heads of Departments or Deputy Commissioner concerned. The number that could ordinarily be lent to any officer under these rules shall be one. In special cases two horses will be lent on the same terms.

(3) On allotment, horses will be made over to the borrower at the Regimental Headquarters on his producing a sum of Rs. 200 for each horse as security and this sum will be deposited in the Chanda Fund.

(4) An upset price will be fixed by the Chief Commandant for each horse before delivery and this will be the amount recoverable from the borrower under Rule 9 or 12 *infra*, after a deduction of Rs. 50 for each year of use.

(5) The borrower should afford every facility for the periodical inspection of the horses by the Military authorities at the district headquarters.

(6) The Chief Commandant will have the power to cancel the loan of a horse in case of neglect or improper use of the animal forfeiting at the same time the whole or any portion of the security deposit.

(7) The borrower should agree to maintain the animal in good condition allowing each horse lent a daily minimum ration consisting of—

3½ seers of grain (kulthi or chenna)	20 lbs of hay
2 lbs. of bran	1 oz. salt.

The above scale may be proportionately increased when the animal is put to extraordinary use.

(8) Horses lent under the rules cannot be sold, transferred or otherwise disposed of without the sanction of the Chief Commandant.

(9) The borrower shall be allowed the option of purchasing the animal when it becomes unfit for Military purposes either by reason of old age, debility or other causes.

(10) Until finally sold, all lent horses will remain the property of Government and are liable to be taken possession of immediately in the event of mobilization.

(11) A fee of Rs. 5 per month shall be levied on each horse so lent which shall be recoverable every quarter.

(12) If the animal is at any time found to be so injured as to render it unfit for the ranks or if it dies while in the charge of the borrower, from other than natural or reasonable causes, he will be liable to pay a price calculated as per terms under Rule 4 *supra*.